GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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PROGRESS OF WORKS OF NHAI IN UTTARANCHAL
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of progress of works of National Highways Authority of India in Uttaranchal so far;

(b) whether the Government has formulated new schemes to tackle the problems relating to the N.Hs; and

(c) if so, the details in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS(SHRI K. H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) There is no work in Uttaranchal undertaken by the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) under Golden Quadrilateral or North South East West Corridor programme.

(b) and (c) Under NHDP-III which is a new Scheme being implemented by NHAI, upgradation of about 125 KM length of NH-58 and NH-72 has been included for strengthening and widening to four lanes. This is in addition to the other schemes being taken up under normal Budgetary provisions through Annual Plan including normal maintenance of the National Highways.